

Faculty of Political and Social Sciences

Master of Science in Sociology

Language of instruction: Dutch

Programme version 18

1 General Courses 10 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K001272 Sociological Imagination for the 21st Century <i>Allan Souza Queiroz -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	5		1	A:2	150
2	K000902 Advanced Quantitative Techniques <i>John Lievens -- Department of Sociology</i>	5		1	A:1	150

2 Majors 15 credits

Subscribe to 1 module from the following list. Subject to approval by the faculty.

2.1 Major Health and Social Demography 15 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K001002 Sociology of Health and Illness [en] <i>Piet Bracke -- Department of Sociology</i>	5		1	A:1	150
2	K001004 Migration and Integration [en] <i>Bart Van de Putte -- Department of Sociology</i>	5		1	A:1	150
3	K001425 Seminar on Health Sociology and Social Demography <i>Melissa Ceuterick -- Department of Sociology</i>	5		1	A:1	150

2.2 Major Culture and Education 15 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K000245 Sociology of Education <i>Mieke Van Houtte -- Department of Sociology</i>	5		1	A:2	150
2	K000962 Cultural Sociology <i>Henk Roose -- Department of Sociology</i>	5		1	A:2	150
3	K000963 Seminar on Sociology of Education <i>Mieke Van Houtte -- Department of Sociology</i>	5		1	A:1	150

2.3 Major Political Sociology 15 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K001026 Political Sociology <i>Ewoud Vandepitte -- Department of Sociology</i>	5		1	A:1	150
2	K001108 Political Sociology: Democracy and Globalisation <i>Ronan Van Rossem -- Department of Sociology</i>	5		1	A:2	150
3	K001364 Seminar Political Sociology: Community Service Learning <i>Ewoud Vandepitte -- Department of Sociology</i>	5		1	A:1	150

3 Elective Courses 15 credits

Subscribe to 15 credit units from at least 1 module from the following list.

The student chooses between:

- Students who choose the line "substantive approach", take at least 5 credits from the module 'Sociology' and 10 credits freely choose from the six modules (including module Sociology)
- Students who choose the line 'Policy and Organization', take at least 5 credits from the module 'Policy and Organization' and 10 credits, freely choose from the six modules (including module 'Policy and Organization')

3.1 Sociology

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K001341 Contemporary Challenges of Higher Education [en] <i>Jeroen Huisman -- Department of Sociology</i>	6		1	A:1	180
2	K000962 Cultural Sociology <i>Henk Roose -- Department of Sociology</i>	5		1	A:2	150
3	K000245 Sociology of Education <i>Mieke Van Houtte -- Department of Sociology</i>	5		1	A:2	150
4	K001004 Migration and Integration [en] <i>Bart Van de Putte -- Department of Sociology</i>	5		1	A:1	150
5	K001002 Sociology of Health and Illness [en] <i>Piet Bracke -- Department of Sociology</i>	5		1	A:1	150
6	K001026 Political Sociology <i>Ewoud Vandepitte -- Department of Sociology</i>	5		1	A:1	150
7	K001108 Political Sociology: Democracy and Globalisation <i>Ronan Van Rossem -- Department of Sociology</i>	5		1	A:2	150

3.2 Policy and Organization

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K001281 Social Dynamics of Policy and Organisation [en] <i>Hans Waage -- Department of Sociology</i>	6		1	A:2	180
2	K000896 Educational Change and Innovation <i>Jeltsen Peeters -- Department of Educational Studies</i>	5		1	A:1	150
3	K001388 Strategic social communication	5		1		150
4	H001896 Management in the Social Profit Sector <i>Melissa Tuytens -- Department of Educational Studies</i>	5		1	A:2	150
5	K001138 Democracy and Participation <i>Anna Kern -- Department of Political Sciences</i>	5		1	A:1	150
6	F000629 Labour Law and Social Security Law <i>Inger De Wilde -- Department of Criminology, Criminal Law and Social Law</i>	6		1	A:2	180
7	F710413 Nonprofit Management <i>Ben Suykens -- Department of Public Governance and Management</i>	5		1	A:2	150
8	F000811 Human Resource Management in Public Organisations [en] <i>Eveline Schollaert -- Department of Marketing, Innovation and Organisation</i>	5		1	A:1	150

3.3 Auxiliary Human Sciences

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K000032 Community Oriented Primary Health Care <i>Sara Willems -- Department of Public Health and Primary Care</i>	5		1	A:2	150
2	C002884 Epidemiology and Clinical Trials [en] <i>Brecht Devleesschauwer -- Department of Translational Physiology, Infectiology and Public Health</i>	5		1	A:1	150
3	C003532 Urbanization in Global Perspective [en] <i>Ben Derudder -- Department of Geography</i>	5		1	A:1	150
4	K000659 Family Pedagogics <i>Jochen Devlieghere -- 'Department of Social Work and Social Pedagogy</i>	5		1	A:2	150
5	H001271 Culture Studies [en] <i>Kris Rutten -- Department of Educational Studies</i>	5		1	A:1	150
6	A002079 Theories of Cultural History <i>Alexander Roose -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5		1	A:2	150
7	A000895 Literature and Society <i>Bart Keunen -- Department of Literary Studies</i>	5		1	A:1	150
8	A003108 Social Politics in Europe since 1750 <i>Christophe Verbruggen -- Department of History</i>	5		1	A:2	150
9	K001223 Globalisation and Global Governance [en] <i>Dries Lesage -- Department of Political Sciences</i>	5		1	A:1	150
10	A003401 Political Philosophy <i>Patrick Loobuyck -- Department of Philosophy and Moral Sciences</i>	5		1	A:2	150

11	K001298	Sustainable Development [en] <i>Bernard Mazijn -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	5		1	A:2	150
12	K001336	Politics of Islam [en] <i>Sami Zemni -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	5		1	A:2	150
13	K001295	Rural Sociology [en] <i>Jeroen Adam -- Department of Conflict and Development Studies</i>	5		1	A:2	150
14	A005569	Global Minds [en] <i>Amaury Frankl -- Department of Geography</i>	5	UKV	1	A:2	150
15	E099210	Essentials of Artificial Intelligence: a Beginner's Guide [en] <i>Joni Dambre -- Department of Electronics and Information Systems</i>	3	UKV	1	A:1	90
16	H001895	Family Pedagogy <i>Jochen Devlieghere -- 'Department of Social Work and Social Pedagogy</i>	5		1		150

3.4 Policy and Organization from the Auxiliary Sciences

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K000231 Health Economics <i>Dominique Vandijck -- Department of Public Health and Primary Care</i>	5		1	A:1	150
2	H002416 Social Work and Social Policy <i>Joris De Corte -- 'Department of Social Work and Social Pedagogy</i>	6		1	A:1	180
3	F000750 Labour and Employment <i>Stijn Baert -- Department of Economics</i>	6		1	A:1	180
4	K001013 Politics of Sustainability <i>Erik Paredis -- Department of Political Sciences</i>	6		1	A:2	180
5	H002197 The Teacher within School and Society <i>Melissa Tuytens -- Department of Educational Studies</i>	4		1	A:1	120
6	H002385 Social Spatial Social Work <i>Griet Roets -- 'Department of Social Work and Social Pedagogy</i>	5		1	A:1	150

4 Master's Dissertation 20 credits

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K001424 Master's Dissertation <i>Henk Roose -- Department of Sociology</i>	20		1	A:J	600

5 International Exchange 20 credits

This 'international exchange' comprises 20 credits and replaces 1) the major (15 STP) and 2) 5 STP from the 'General courses'.

Nr	Course	CRDT	Ref	MT1	Session	Study
1	K001083 Study Programme Abroad [en] <i>Henk Roose -- Department of Sociology</i>	20		1	B:2, A:1	600

Teaching

When a course is not taught (solely) in the programme's language of instruction, the effectively used languages are indicated in square brackets following the course name, using the following ISO codes:

bg: Bulgarian	de: German	es: Spanish	ja: Japanese	pl: Polish	sh: Croatian/Serbian	zh: Chinese
cs: Czech	el: Greek	fr: French	nl: Dutch	pt: Portuguese	sl: Slovene	
da: Danish	en: English	it: Italian	no: Norwegian	ru: Russian	sv: Swedish	

Semester

Semesters are indicated by their number (1 or 2); semester 3 represents the summer period and J indicates a course spanning semesters 1 and 2. When a capital letter precedes a semester number, the course has multiple offerings. The letter indicates the offering concerned.

When a semester is shown in brackets, the course is not offered this year in the specific offering.

The offering frequency and first year of offering are indicated by the following codes:

a: bi-annually	c: annually, from 2025-2026	f: annually, from 2026-2027	i: annually, from 2027-2028
b: tri-annually	d: bi-annually, from 2025-2026	g: bi-annually, from 2026-2027	j: bi-annually, from 2027-2028
	e: tri-annually, from 2025-2026	h: tri-annually, from 2026-2027	k: tri-annually, from 2027-2028